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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket 510553.92128

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Title Alloy for Battery Grids

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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- 1 Fee transmittal Form
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. Applicant claims small entity status
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. Specification [Total Pages 28]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed Sponsored R&D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings *(if filed)*
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 10]
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 - a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. Copy from prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
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Signed Statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents)
10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
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11. English Translation Document *(if applicable)*
12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
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14. Return receipt postcard (MPEP 503)
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17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information: and in a preliminary amendment or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76

 Continuation Divisional

This is a continuation-in-part of Serial No. 09/627,522 filed July 28, 2000, which is a continuation of Serial No. 09/337,830 filed June 22, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,117,594, which is a continuation of Serial No. 09/105,162 filed June 26, 1998.

Prior application information: Examiner: T. Dove

Group/Art Unit:1745

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920	112	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840	113	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
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146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	710	2496	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	710	270	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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